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1. Soviet cavalry, estimated as 15,000 strong, from Azerbaijan is now in the valley of Arax between Nahitchevan and Ordubad. This figure does not include the normal garrison. 50X1-HUM
2. An Independent Armenian Army is being formed in Erivan. It comprises the 11th, 17th, 18th, and possibly 20th Armenian Infantry Divisions.
3. Troops in frontier posts in the Leninakan area are drawn from the 39th Frontier Guard and 677th and 678th Armenian Infantry Regiments. 50X1-HUM
4. A motorized heavy artillery regiment which arrived three months ago (  Comment: June 1946 ? ) at Delijan from Tiflis is part of the 47th Army.  50X1-HUM
5. A Soviet air base with several fields has been established north of Erivan between Ashtarak and Alapars.
6. The biggest field is two (miles ?) east of Ashtarak, with work shops and depots. It is used by light bombers, Stormoviks, and other fighters.
7. There has been no significant change since March 1946 in the main Soviet troop dispositions  50X1-HUM

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